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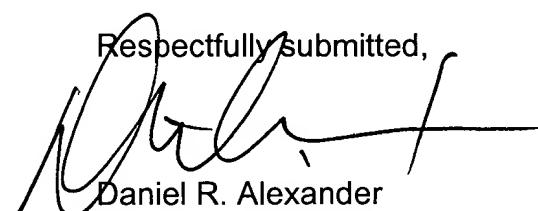
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- This application relies on the earlier filing date of prior application Serial Nos. 60/241,170, filed on October 17, 2000, and 60/211,295, filed on June 13, 2000.

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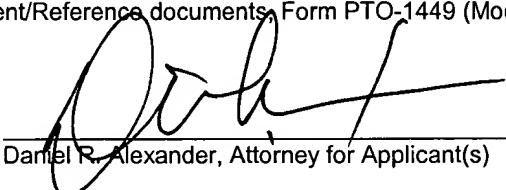
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